## § 6050X. Information with respect to certain fines, penalties, and other amounts

### (a) Requirement of reporting

### (1) In general

The appropriate official of any government or any entity described in section 162(f)(5) which is involved in a suit or agreement described in paragraph (2) shall make a return in such form as determined by the Secretary setting forth—

- (A) the amount required to be paid as a result of the suit or agreement to which paragraph (1) of section 162(f) applies,
- (B) any amount required to be paid as a result of the suit or agreement which constitutes restitution or remediation of property, and
- (C) any amount required to be paid as a result of the suit or agreement for the purpose of coming into compliance with any law which was violated or involved in the investigation or inquiry.

### (2) Suit or agreement described

### (A) In general

A suit or agreement is described in this paragraph if—

(i) it is-

- (I) a suit with respect to a violation of any law over which the government or entity has authority and with respect to which there has been a court order, or
- (II) an agreement which is entered into with respect to a violation of any law over which the government or entity has authority, or with respect to an investigation or inquiry by the government or entity into the potential violation of any law over which such government or entity has authority, and
- (ii) the aggregate amount involved in all court orders and agreements with respect to the violation, investigation, or inquiry is \$600 or more.

### (B) Adjustment of reporting threshold

The Secretary shall adjust the \$600 amount in subparagraph (A)(ii) as necessary in order to ensure the efficient administration of the internal revenue laws.

### (3) Time of filing

The return required under this subsection shall be filed at the time the agreement is entered into, as determined by the Secretary.

# (b) Statements to be furnished to individuals involved in the settlement

Every person required to make a return under subsection (a) shall furnish to each person who is a party to the suit or agreement a written statement showing—

- (1) the name of the government or entity, and
- (2) the information supplied to the Secretary under subsection (a)(1).

The written statement required under the preceding sentence shall be furnished to the person at the same time the government or entity provides the Secretary with the information required under subsection (a).

### (c) Appropriate official defined

For purposes of this section, the term "appropriate official" means the officer or employee having control of the suit, investigation, or inquiry or the person appropriately designated for purposes of this section.

(Added Pub. L. 115–97, title I, \$13306(b)(1), Dec. 22, 2017, 131 Stat. 2128.)

#### EFFECTIVE DATE

Pub. L. 115–97, title I, §13306(b)(3), Dec. 22, 2017, 131 Stat. 2129, provided that: "The amendments made by this subsection [enacting this section] shall apply to amounts paid or incurred on or after the date of the enactment of this Act [Dec. 22, 2017], except that such amendments shall not apply to amounts paid or incurred under any binding order or agreement entered into before such date. Such exception shall not apply to an order or agreement requiring court approval unless the approval was obtained before such date."

## § 6050Y. Returns relating to certain life insurance contract transactions

## (a) Requirement of reporting of certain payments

### (1) In general

Every person who acquires a life insurance contract or any interest in a life insurance contract in a reportable policy sale during any taxable year shall make a return for such taxable year (at such time and in such manner as the Secretary shall prescribe) setting forth—

- (A) the name, address, and TIN of such person
- (B) the name, address, and TIN of each recipient of payment in the reportable policy sale.
  - (C) the date of such sale,
- (D) the name of the issuer of the life insurance contract sold and the policy number of such contract, and
  - (E) the amount of each payment.

# (2) Statement to be furnished to persons with respect to whom information is required

Every person required to make a return under this subsection shall furnish to each person whose name is required to be set forth in such return a written statement showing—

- (A) the name, address, and phone number of the information contact of the person required to make such return, and
- (B) the information required to be shown on such return with respect to such person, except that in the case of an issuer of a life insurance contract, such statement is not required to include the information specified in paragraph (1)(E).

## (b) Requirement of reporting of seller's basis in life insurance contracts

### (1) In general

Upon receipt of the statement required under subsection (a)(2) or upon notice of a transfer of a life insurance contract to a foreign person, each issuer of a life insurance contract shall make a return (at such time and in such manner as the Secretary shall prescribe) setting forth—

(A) the name, address, and TIN of the seller who transfers any interest in such contract in such sale,

- (B) the investment in the contract (as defined in section 72(e)(6)) with respect to such seller, and
  - (C) the policy number of such contract.

# (2) Statement to be furnished to persons with respect to whom information is required

Every person required to make a return under this subsection shall furnish to each person whose name is required to be set forth in such return a written statement showing—

- (A) the name, address, and phone number of the information contact of the person required to make such return, and
- (B) the information required to be shown on such return with respect to each seller whose name is required to be set forth in such return.

## (c) Requirement of reporting with respect to reportable death benefits

#### (1) In general

Every person who makes a payment of reportable death benefits during any taxable year shall make a return for such taxable year (at such time and in such manner as the Secretary shall prescribe) setting forth—

- (A) the name, address, and TIN of the person making such payment,
- (B) the name, address, and TIN of each recipient of such payment,
  - (C) the date of each such payment,
- (D) the gross amount of each such payment, and
- (E) such person's estimate of the investment in the contract (as defined in section 72(e)(6)) with respect to the buyer.

## (2) Statement to be furnished to persons with respect to whom information is required

Every person required to make a return under this subsection shall furnish to each person whose name is required to be set forth in such return a written statement showing—

- (A) the name, address, and phone number of the information contact of the person required to make such return, and
- (B) the information required to be shown on such return with respect to each recipient of payment whose name is required to be set forth in such return.

### (d) Definitions

For purposes of this section:

### (1) Payment

The term "payment" means, with respect to any reportable policy sale, the amount of cash and the fair market value of any consideration transferred in the sale.

### (2) Reportable policy sale

The term "reportable policy sale" has the meaning given such term in section 101(a)(3)(B).

### (3) Issuer

The term "issuer" means any life insurance company that bears the risk with respect to a life insurance contract on the date any return or statement is required to be made under this section.

### (4) Reportable death benefits

The term "reportable death benefits" means amounts paid by reason of the death of the in-

sured under a life insurance contract that has been transferred in a reportable policy sale.

(Added Pub. L. 115–97, title I, \$13520(a), Dec. 22, 2017, 131 Stat. 2149.)

#### EFFECTIVE DATE

Section applicable to reportable policy sales (as defined in subsection (d)(2) of this section) after Dec. 31, 2017, and reportable death benefits (as defined in subsection (d)(4) of this section) paid after Dec. 31, 2017, see section 13520(d) of Pub. L. 115–97, set out as an Effective Date of 2017 Amendment note under section 6047 of this title.

### SUBPART C—INFORMATION REGARDING WAGES PAID EMPLOYEES

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6051. Receipts for employees.

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form of group-term life insurance.

6053. Reporting of tips.

#### AMENDMENTS

1965—Pub. L. 89-97, title III, §313(e)(2)(D), July 30, 1965, 79 Stat. 385, added item 6053.

1964—Pub. L. 88–272, title II,  $\204(c)(3)$ , Feb. 26, 1964, 78 Stat. 37, added item 6052.

### § 6051. Receipts for employees

### (a) Requirement

Every person required to deduct and withhold from an employee a tax under section 3101 or 3402, or who would have been required to deduct and withhold a tax under section 3402 (determined without regard to subsection (n)) if the employee had claimed no more than one withholding exemption, or every employer engaged in a trade or business who pays remuneration for services performed by an employee, including the cash value of such remuneration paid in any medium other than cash, shall furnish to each such employee in respect of the remuneration paid by such person to such employee during the calendar year, on or before January 31 of the succeeding year, or, if his employment is terminated before the close of such calendar year, within 30 days after the date of receipt of a written request from the employee if such 30day period ends before January 31, a written statement showing the following:

- (1) the name of such person,
- (2) the name of the employee (and an identifying number for the employee if wages as defined in section 3121(a) have been paid),
- (3) the total amount of wages as defined in section 3401(a),
- (4) the total amount deducted and withheld as tax under section 3402,
- (5) the total amount of wages as defined in section 3121(a),
- (6) the total amount deducted and withheld as tax under section 3101,
- (8) the total amount of elective deferrals (within the meaning of section 402(g)(3)) and compensation deferred under section 457, including the amount of designated Roth contributions (as defined in section 402A).
- (9) the total amount incurred for dependent care assistance with respect to such employee